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Amendments to the Specification:

Rewrite the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 7, as follows:

A circuit of the present invention for measuring distances is shown in Figure 7. The circuit comprises two inputs 1, 2, a signal source not shown, as well as a measuring coil $\underline{3}$, which is likewise not shown. The inputs $\underline{1}$, $\underline{2}$ are activated by means of two input signals e_{pos} and e_{neg} that are generated by the signal source. In accordance with the invention, the input signals e_{pos} and e_{neg} are applied to a timed SC network, and used for generating a measuring signal and/or an output signal U that is dependent on the temperature influence.

Rewrite the paragraph beginning at page 15, line 30, as follows:

A circuit that realizes this, is shown in Figure 9. The circuit comprises a signal source and a measuring coil as shown in Fig. 7, and a positive delayed SC amplifier 12, a lossy SC integrator 13, and an SC difference amplifier 14. As shown in Figure 9, the factor $(1-\gamma_2)$ can be realized by the lossy SC integrator 13. In the case that γ_2 is smaller than 1, an integrator capacitance on the order of $(1-\gamma_2)$ C is used, and a capacitance on the order γ_2 is connected parallel thereto, which is periodically discharged.

Rewrite the Abstract which appears on page 22 of the specification, as follows: